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RE: Application No. 10/817,264
In re application of: Clark E. Lubbers, et al.
Assignee: SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY LLC
Dkt. No.: STL11420

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In re application of: Clark E. Lubbers and Randy L. Roberson
Assignee: SEAGATE TECHNOLOGY LLC
Application No.: 10/817,264 Group No.: 2189
Filed: April 2, 2004 Examiner: Kevin Verbrugge
For: STORAGE MEDIA DATA STRUCTURE SYSTEM AND METHOD

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AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL

1. Transmitted herewith is an amendment for this application.

STATUS

2. Applicant is other than a small entity.

EXTENSION OF TERM

3. The proceedings herein are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. 1.136 apply. Applicant believes that no extension of term is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition for extension of time.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.8(a)

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FEE FOR CLAIMS

4. The fee for claims (37 C.F.R. 1.16(b)-(d)) has been calculated as shown below:

	(Col. 1)	(Col. 2)	(Col. 3)	OTHER THAN A SMALL ENTITY			
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TOTAL	23	- 26	= 0	x \$ 50.00	= \$	0.00	
INDEP.	5	- 8	= 0	x \$ 200.00	= \$	0.00	
FIRST PRESENTATION OF MULTIPLE CLAIM				+ \$ 0.00	= \$	0.00	
				TOTAL ADDIT. FEE	\$	0.00	

No additional fee for claims is required.

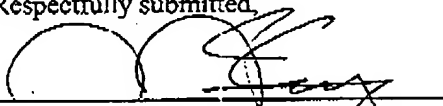
FEE DEFICIENCY

5. If an additional extension and/or fee is required, charge Account No. 06-0540.
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Respectfully submitted,

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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED AUGUST 3, 2006

Sir:

This is a complete response to the pending office action in the above-referenced application.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 4.

Remarks begin on page 10.

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